# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

#### FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 0509-02 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 101

Subject: Requires family court commissioners to be placed on ballot at every presidential

election for purposes of a retention vote.

<u>Type</u>: Original

Date: January 23, 2001

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004				
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0				

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004				
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0				

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004				
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0				

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

This fiscal note contains 2 pages.

## **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

#### **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Office of State Courts Administrator** and **Office of the Secretary of State** stated the proposed legislation will have no fiscal impact on their organizations.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

The proposed legislation provides that each family court commissioner will be placed on the ballot at every presidential election to be retained as a family court commissioner. If the majority of those voting on the question vote against retaining the commissioner, the commissioner will be removed from the family court on December 31<sup>st</sup> following the election.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

#### **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

Office of State Courts Administrator
Office of the Secretary of State

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